GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:117
ANSWERED ON:19.11.2001
COMPULSION OF AGRICULTURE SUBJECT AT SCHOOL LEVEL
BHAWANA GAWALI (PATIL);HARIBHAU MAHALE

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to make agriculture compulsory subject at school level keeping in view the dependency of Indian economy on agriculture;

(b) if so, the time by which it is proposed to be done; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) No. Sir,

(b) Question does not arise

(c) Agriculture education is a state subject and it is for the State Govt./boards to take action on this issue.